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Synthetase (GGPPS) and Polymorphic Markers Associated with
Said Nucleic Acid
(Bougueleret)
Serial No. 09/744,527; filed January 22, 2001

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COMMUNICATION

Sir:

Applicant, by the undersigned, herein requests that the fees for the above-identified application be charged based on its status as a large entity. Applicant filed a Notice of Appeal accompanied by a Petition and Fee for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR §1.136(a) on November 3, 2003. Applicant also filed a Request for Continued Examination authorizing the extension of time fee for a four-month extension of time on May 3, 2004. The Notice of Appeal, Petition and Fee for Extension of Time, and Request for Continued Examination and extension of time fee inadvertently authorized fees for a small entity rather than a large entity. The undersigned's Deposit Account No. 19-0065 has only been charged for small entity fees.

Applicant's undersigned representative submits that the authorization of small entity fees was in error and that large entity fees should have been charged.

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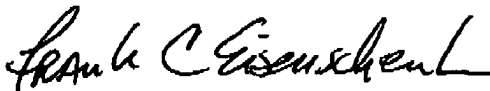
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Applicant paid \$165.00 for the Notice of Appeal fee and paid \$205.00 for the two month extension of time fee on November 3, 2003. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account 19-0065 in the amount of \$175.00 for the Notice of Appeal fee and \$225.00 for the two month extension fee, which are the fees covering the difference in the amount paid as a small entity and the amount due as a large entity (based on the current fees).

Applicant paid \$385.00 for the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) fee and paid \$740.00 for a four month extension of time fee on May 3, 2004. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account 19-0065 in the amount of \$405.00 for the RCE fee and \$790.00 for the four month extension fee, which are the fees covering the difference in the amount paid as a small entity and the amount due as a large entity (based on the current fees).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR §§1.16 or 1.17 which may be required to Deposit Account 19-0065.

Respectfully submitted,



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